

WHEREAS, September 17, 1973, marks the one hundred eighty-sixth anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; and,

WHEREAS, To accord official recognition to this memorable anniversary, and to the patriotic exercise that will form a noteworthy feature of the occasion, seems fitting and proper; and,

WHEREAS, Public Law No. 915 guarantees the issuing of a proclamation each year by the President of the United States of America designating September 17 through 23 as Constitution Week;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of September 17, through 23, 1973, as

CONSTITUTION WEEK

In South Dakota, and urge all our citizens to pay special attention during that week to our Federal Constitution and the advantages of American Citizenship.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 12th day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Three.

R. F. Kneip

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Lorna B. Henseth

LORNA B. HENSETH, CLERK OF STATE